Matthew W. Gissendanner Senior Counsel

Dominion Energy Services, Inc.

220 Operation Way, MC C222, Cayce, SC 29033 DominionEnergy.com



January 14, 2021

#### VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk/Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated's Establishment of a Solar Choice Metering Tariff Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-40-20 (See Docket No. 2019-182-E)

Docket No. 2020-229-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

By letter of December 17, 2020, the Clerk's Office of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina transmitted the Revised Notice of Filing and Hearing and Prefile Testimony Deadlines ("Notice") in the above-referenced docket to Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. ("DESC") and instructed DESC to publish the Notice in newspapers of general circulation in the affected areas by January 8, 2021, and provide proof of publication on or before January 15, 2021. In compliance with the Clerk's Office's instructions contained within the December 17 letter, please find enclosed for filing the affidavits and tearsheets from newspapers of general circulation in the affected areas as proof of publication of the required Notice.

Also in the December 17, 2020, letter, the Clerk's office instructed DESC to furnish the Notice by U.S. Mail or electronic mail to those customers who had agreed to receive notice by electronic mail on or before January 8, 2021, and to provide certification on or before January 15, 2021. In compliance with Clerk's Office's instructions, please find enclosed for filing the affidavit of Allen W. Rooks as proof that the required Notice was timely furnished to customers.

By copy of this letter, we are serving the parties with a copy of the enclosed documents.

Very truly yours,

Matthew W. Gissendanner

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cc: Jeffrey M. Nelson, Esquire
Jeffrey W. Kuykendall, Esquire
Jenny R. Pittman, Esquire
Katherine L. Mixson, Esquire
R. Taylor Speer, Esquire
Thadeus B. Culley, Esquire
(all via electronic mail only w/enclosures)

#### **BEFORE**

#### THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

#### SOUTH CAROLINA

#### **DOCKET NO. 2020-229-E**

IN RE:

PERSONALLY APPEARED before me, Allen W. Rooks, who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Manager of Regulation for Dominion Energy Services, Inc.; that at his direction and under his supervision the Revised Notice of Filing and Hearing and Prefile Testimony Deadlines attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein ("Notice") has been furnished either by U.S. Mail or electronically to customers who have agreed to receive the Notice electronically, to all applicable customers of Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. on or before January 8, 2021.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

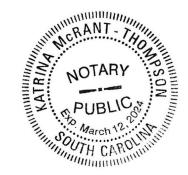
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Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission Expires: March 12, 2004



#### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

#### **CLERK'S OFFICE**

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# State of South Carolina

#### County of Richland

I, , makes oath that the advertisment, was published in The State, a newspaper published in the City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issue(s) of

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Published On:

December 30, 2020

Inside Classified Accounts Representative

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 12th day of January in the year of 202

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

"Errors- the liability of the publisher on account of errors in or omissions from any advertisement will in no way exceed the amount of the charge for the space occupied by the item in error, and then

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the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at www.csc.sc.gov.

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# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION Aiken Standard

# The North Augusta Star

State of South Carolina County of Aiken

Personally appeared before me the undersigned advertising clerk of the Aiken Standard, a seven day per week newspaper published in Aiken, South Carolina, and made oath in due form of law that the advertisement of

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appeared in the issues of said newspaper on the following day(s):

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at a cost of

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JENNIFER L. MILLS tary Public, South Carolina My Commission Expires April 02, 2024

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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December 31, 2020

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# The Post and Courier

State of South Carolina

County of Charleston

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Michelle Long Inside Classified Accounts Representative

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 2021

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12/29/2020

## \*\*\* Proof of Publication \*\*\*

State of South Carolina County of Orangeburg

SC Press Association-LEGALS

106 OUTLET POINTE BLVD. COLUMBIA SC 29210

ORDER NUMBER

57492

Personally appeared before me, Melissa Hutto, National Advertising Manager of The Times And Democrat, a division of Lee Publications, Inc. A newspaper published at Orangeburg, County of Orangeburg, State of South Carolina. Who declares that the attached Notice was published in said newspaper On the following dates:

Section: Legal

Category: 0999 LEGALS

PUBLISHED ON: 12/30/2020

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12/30/2020

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED

**BEFORE ME** 

NOTARY PUBLIC. My commission Expires: January 26, 2025

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**DOCKET NO. 2020-229-E** 

Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated's Establisment of a Solar Choice Metering Tariff Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-40-20

S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-40-20 (F)(1) states, "After notice and opportunity for public comment and public hearing, the commission shall establish a "solar choice metering tariff" for customer generators to go into effect for applications received after 31, 2021." S. C. Code Ann. Section 58-40-20 (F)(2) provides, "In establishing any successor solar choice metering tariffs, and in approving any future modifications, the commission shall er-mine how meter information is used for calculating the solar choice metering measurement that is just and reasonable in ight of the costs and benefits of the solar choice metering program." Also, S. C. Code Ann. Section 58-40-20(F)(3) provides, impart "A solar choice metering tariff shall include a methodology to compensate customer-generators for the benefits provided by their generation to the power system."

On September 16, 2020, the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) issued Order No. 2020-622, and the Commission adopted the following procedural schedule regarding solar choice metering tariffs for Dominion Energy South-Carolina, Incorporated ("DESC" or "the Company"): olina, Incorporated ("DESC" or "the Company"):

December 15, 2020 - Company files Direct Testimony and

Exhibits

January 15, 2021 – All Other Parties of Record and OR prefile Direct Testimony and Exhibits

February 5, 2021 – Company files Rebuttal Testimony and Exhibits Exhibits

February 12, 2021 - All Other Parties and ORS file
Surrebuttal Testimony and Exhibits
February 23, 2021 - Hearing Beginning Date (hearing Shall continue each day thereafter Shall continue each day there shall continue each day the each day there shall continue each day there shall continue each day the each day the each day there shall continue each day there shall continue each day the each

March 9, 2021 - Proposed Orders Due April 5, 2021 - Final Order Issued

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a Party of Record should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or Sefore January 15, 2021, by filing the Petition to Intervene who the Commission, by providing a copy to the Office of Regulatory Staff and by providing a copy to all Parties of record. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. Please refer to Docket No. 2020-229-E and mail a copy to all ether parties in this docket. Any person who seeks to intervene and who wishes to testify and present evidence at the Maring should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Cardina 29201; and K. Chad Burgess, Esquire, DESC, 220 Operation Way – MC C222, Cayce, South Carolina 29033, on or before Jamary 15, 2021. Please refer to Docket No. 2020-229-E.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE a hearing, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-817, on the above matter has been scheduled to begin on **Tuesday, February 23, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.**, before the Commission in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210 for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence from all interested Parties. The hearing shall continue each day thereafter until completed.

INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD (Appli-

cants, Petitioners, and Intervenors only):

\*\* On or before 2/9/2021, please provide the order of witnesses
to be presented during the hearing, whether there is an objection to taking direct and rebuttal or surrebuttal testimony together during the hearing, and whether or not there is a desire to use panels of witnesses. \*\*

All Parties of Record must prefile testimony with the Commission and with all Parties of Record. Prefiled Testimony Deadlines: Company's **Direct Testimony Due: 12/15/2020**; Other Parties of Record **Direct Testimony Due: 1/15/2021**; Company's **Rebuttal Testimony Due: 2/5/2021**; and Other Parties of Record **Surrebuttal Testimony Due: 2/12/2021.** All prefiled testimony deadlines are subject to the information as posted on <u>www.psc.sc.gov</u> under **Docket Ng.** 2020-229-E.

For the most recent information regarding this docket, including changes in scheduled dates included in this Notice, please refer to <a href="https://www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a> and <a href="https://www.psc.sc.gov">Docket No. 2020-229-E</a>.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments in person to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at <u>www.psc.sc.gov</u>.

January 6, 2021